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7. [ ] Talked with Dorothy Fosdick, Staff Director, Senate Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, about the status of Dwight E. Dyer, former press secretary to Senator Alan Bible (D., Nev.). (The Interior Department has asked our Security people to grant Dyer a clearance for access to compartmented information on the assumption that he will serve in a staff capacity to Senator Bible as Chairman of the Senate Interior and Insular Affairs Committee.) In fact Dyer works for Bible in his capacity as Chiarmman of the Interior Subcommittee of the Senate Appropriations Committee. I plan to talk with Bill Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, about Dyer's need for access to compartmented information.

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8. [ ] Accompanied [ ] Deputy Director of Current Intelligence; [ ] Deputy Chief, USSR Eastern Europe Division; and [ ] to a meeting with Senator Hubert H. Humphrey (D., Minn.) to debrief him on his recent trip to the Soviet Union and Poland. Dan Spiegel, one of the Senator's Legislative Assistants, sat in on the meeting. The Senator spoke in some detail about his conversations with various Soviet and Polish officials. Of particular interest was the Senator's observation that in this fourth visit to the USSR Kosygin and the other Soviets seemed relaxed and genuinely interested in better exchanges and areas of cooperation between the US and the USSR. He said he was quite impressed with the candor of the Polish officials who talked to him. He said he thought the Agency should do some sort of a study on the impact which Soviet youth will have on the future of the Soviet Union. It was his observation that they have become quite Westernized and are moving away from many of the philosophies which have characterized their forebears.

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9. [ ] Talked with George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, who said the Committee would probably want a briefing from the Agency early in February. He asked if I knew whether Helms or Schlesinger would be Director at that time and I told him I had no information on this at the moment. He mentioned that under the current schedule Schlesinger is due to brief the Committee on nuclear safety on 23 January. Murphy added it was probably too early to try to schedule a date for the briefing and he would be back in touch with me later.

I told Murphy it was taking some time to resolve the question of staff access to NIE 11-14. He said we could probably sit on this and wait and see if the matter is pressed by [ ]

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